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Local and Miscellaneous.

Mercury 30° in the shade yesterday.

Probate order, estate of Michael Carnody, on fourth page.

There will be a day social held at Mr. Woodin's residence in Middlebury, on Friday of this week. All are invited.

The Holmes Camp Meeting now in progress on the farm of Hiram Busseil, New Haven township, under the auspices of the Holmes Band, conducted by Elder Shaw, State Holiness Evangelist, was very largely attended last Sunday, many persons coming from great distances. The grounds were well arranged, but the immense crowd could not all be seated. They have a tent which spreads about 300 feet in circumference, with a ministers' stand adjoining, and sleeping accommodations for the ministers attached to the stand; also eight other tents placed in a circle with cooking and sleeping apartments. Excellent order was observed. Preaching in the forenoon by Elder Shaw, after dinner they had what they called their circular meetings on different portions of the grounds, consisting of singing, speaking and praying, by large numbers. They disapprove of all secret societies, and our reporter says that when they spoke of discarding the G. A. R.'s, he thought they meant him, for he had his G. A. R. uniform on. The meeting will close to-morrow. An estimate places the number of vehicles at 400, on Sunday.

Parents should remember during these troublesome times that the really deadly and dangerous toy pistol is not the one that "shoots to kill." The little nasty pistol which explodes a patch of paper carries sure death in its poisonous breath. The medical authorities say a burn from it is more deadly than the bite of a mad dog. Out of seven children at Rochester burned in that way, everyone has died of lockjaw, although treated by the most skillful physicians.

Corry Flyer.

A Granddaddy of Springfield, has been elected chairman of the Illinois democratic state central committee.

The Switchmen's union of Chicago has formally resolved to confine its strike to the Lake Shore road.

The temperance agitation at Harmon, Illinois, led to the destruction of a saloon by dynamite on Tuesday evening.

On arriving in London, Mr. Henry Ward Beecher and wife became the guests of Dr. Parker, pastor of the City temple.

Herr Singer, a socialistic member of the German reichstag, has received orders from the government to leave Berlin.

The internal revenue collections in the Peoria district for the year just closed were \$13,913,381, an increase of \$809,000.

The regatta of the Eastern Yacht club off Marblehead resulted in a victory for the Fulton over the Priscilla and the Mayflower.

The bill authorizing the restoration of Fitz John Porter to the army-rolls with the rank of colonel was signed by President Cleveland Thursday.

James Gibbons, on the twenty-fifth anniversary of his being ordained as a priest in Baltimore, was invested with the scarlet beretta of a cardinal.

The anarchists on trial in Chicago are kept liberally supplied with red flowers to wear in the courtroom. The fifth juror was secured Wednesday.

Morrison says Randall's tariff bill will increase customs receipts more than \$1,000,000 and decrease internal revenue receipts at least \$30,000,000.

The window-glass factories all over the country have closed for the summer's vacation. The men will demand last year's scale for next year's work.

Jones & Laughlin's mill-mill at Pittsburg started up Tuesday, after being closed since May, 1885. It employs 300 men. Other factories will start soon.

To show their joy over the settlement of the strikes, the tradesmen of Troy, New York, gave their employees a grand procession, picnic, and barbecue.

The \$3,000,000 estate of the late Thomas H. Blythe, of San Francisco, is claimed by Mrs. L. C. Hitchcock, Waco, Texas, a daughter of the first wife.

It is stated that the resolution to consider the President's nominations in open session is not to be allowed to come to a vote at this session of the Senate.

Dr. R. J. Andrews, of Toronto, once a rich and reputable practitioner, has been sentenced to five years in the Ontario penitentiary for procuring an abortion.

The Merchant's National bank of Peoria has been surrendered by the examiners to the directors, the sum embezzled by J. Finley Hokes having been made up.

C. H. Eich, one of the railway postal clerks recently discharged for connection with the secret league, was reinstated after establishing his innocence of the charge.

A dispatch from Indianapolis expresses the general belief that several hundred postal clerks in that division are about to forward their resignations in one package.

J. H. Dixon has arrived in St. Louis from India to collect evidence in the death of his former employee, G. Arthur Preller, in order to secure some \$5,000 life insurance in England.

A story is sent out from St. Louis that seventeen thousand men throughout the country have joined a league in support of law and order and in opposition to strikes and boycotts.

Lansburg Gov.

Lansburg, Mich., July 6, 1886.

From all reports which have been received up to the present writing dry weather has prevailed hereabouts to a somewhat alarming extent. There has furthermore been an unusual and unusual absence of rain which seems in some degree to conduce to this state of affairs. For these and other reasons beyond the common ken, your correspondent's ink dried up, likewise his acumen, and when he came to garner thoughts like other men of lore, he found his flow of seal dried up and so he had to bore until in time he struck his vein of thought, I should have said, and tapped the little puddle that he holds within his head!

The house will now come to order and the clerk will call the roll.

The committee on the various performances here last Saturday which was celebrated as the Fourth, report that there was more blue ruin sold to minors, apprentices, drunkards and cut; cussed fools than the size of the crowd warranted. The report was laid under the table.

The committee on crops report having gathered in good condition and fair quantity. Also that the wheat harvest will begin as soon as the fourth of July cloud rolls by. The report was ordered printed on basswood bark and sent the Signal Service bureau at Washington.

The committee on public health report no recent deaths, but that the prospect was not altogether discouraging. Chas. Connor, of Victor, had his hand cut off by a mowing machine last week, but will recover, notwithstanding his forearm had to be amputated. Charles was pitched off from the machine by its dropping into a furrow and lost his hand in trying to gain his equilibrium. Further, Mrs. Thos. Shirts had a thigh broken Saturday last by a kicking cow. An attempt was made to insert in attendance but failed, and the report was received and a copy ordered to be sent to the Secretary of the State Board of Health with green seal attached to it to the paper, I mean.

The committee on internal improvements report that Dan'l Lebar has completed a rink and hall combined that is second to nothing of its kind in the county and a credit to any town. It has plenty of stage room and ample seating capacity together with side room for receptions, ice cream, etc. The report was received and committee discharged. A vote of thanks to Mr. Lebar was tendered.

The committee on foreign relations report the Lookingglass river as running up stream in consequence of dredging being done through Shiawassee and Bennington townships and clearing out the channel of said river as inversely provided for by Legislative enactment, and that complaints had come from Victor in Clinton county, that the settlers there along the line of said river are now suffering for marsh hay, fresh fish and water, in consequence thereof. The report was ordered printed on blue paper and referred to a special committee of one, with power to send for persons and papers and bottle of quinine.

(The chairman stated verbally that a couple of Woodhull boys had offered to wade up the river and make a "resurrection" of the fish.)

The house then went into executive session and shortly after adjourned.

GENERAL NEWS.

Trouble is likely to arise at the Grape Creek coal-mines in Illinois, where one hundred colored men from Kentucky are to be set to work, with the strikers threatening vengeance upon them.

C. P. Huntington has recommended work on the international railway which crosses the Rio Grande at Eagle Pass, and intends within a year to connect with the Mexican Central at Villa Lerdia.

The distress arising from inundations in the parishes of Grant, Rapides, and Catahoula prompts the governor of Louisiana to solicit from the citizens of the State contributions of provisions.

General James A. Beaver, nominated by the republicans for governor of Pennsylvania, escaped being president of the United States by declining to accept a nomination with General Garfield at Chicago.

The republicans of the first district of Vermont have renominated ex-Governor Stuart for congress. J. C. Bryant, of Huntington, Indiana, is a democratic aspirant for the eleventh district of Indiana.

Until the collection of taxes in Louisiana next fall, the state treasurer has arranged with nine banks in New Orleans to advance all the funds needed to pay interest on the consolidated 4 per cent bonds.

John H. Cary, sheriff of Buchanan county, Missouri, has been sued for \$120,000 by fifteen leading business men of St. Joseph, for levying upon the stock of I. W. & Co. in the interest of foreign creditors.

Peter Zingele, a Frenchman residing in Pittsburg, went to Washington for the avowed purpose of killing Minister Houston, but was lodged in jail after hanging about the diplomat's house with a revolver.

William E. Smith resigned the assistant secretaryship of the treasury to be

comptroller for the Manhattan branch of the Thompson government of South Carolina, was nominated to the treasury by President Cleveland.

A conference between Mr. Powderly and Secretary Thomas of the Silver Manufacturers' association, at New York, resulted in an amicable adjustment of the differences between the Philadelphia rolling-mills and their employees have come to a crisis, and that four large concerns in Pittsburg will bank their fires, which will directly affect 1,500 men.

George N. Johnson, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, was arrested on his arrival in Chicago, Thursday, with his five children, whom he had stolen from the custody of his divorced wife, with the intention of taking them to some point in the east.

A reunion of the 3d army corps was held at Gettysburg Friday. Gen. Sickles delivered an oration in vindication of the part taken by his corps in the battle of Gettysburg, which was asked for and received, none assumed the responsibility and won the victory.

The eleventh in the annual series of four-mile eight-oared straight-away races, inaugurated between Yale and Harvard in 1876, was rowed Friday evening on the Thames river course. Yale finished first in 20 minutes 41 seconds, beating Harvard by seven lengths.

The Rudzinski committee at Milwaukee made a report to the common council a special meeting held Friday. The report was signed by all the committee, and set forth that while the alderman might have uttered some indiscreet or foolish words the charges in the specifications were not sustained.

Ten book-makers, arrested for selling pools at Monmouth park last summer, were fined \$100 each at Red Bank, N. J. Counsel for thirty-seven other pool-sellers arranged that the same sentence be inflicted on their clients.

The Massachusetts legislature has appropriated \$20,000 to entertain President Cleveland in case he visits the state this summer.

The Missouri congressional delegation has invited the chief magistrate to attend the State fair at St. Louis in October. The president yesterday expressed a desire to inspect the Michigan State fair in September.

The St. Louis anarchists indicted for attending an unlawful assemblage and endorsing the action of the Chicago Haymarket rioters were continued until July 7 in order to furnish the prosecution time to summon the Chicago police, who were present during the riot and whose testimony was to what action the St. Louis sympathizers indulged they desire to introduce.

The Iowa democratic State convention adopted a resolution favoring the prohibition of liquor law and the establishment of local option with high license. The greenbackers were given the selection of candidates for treasurer and clerk of the supreme court. The democrats nominated Cato Guelich for auditor, Frank P. Bradley for the nomination for clerk of the supreme court.

Internal Revenue Commissioner Miller has gone to Hot Springs, Va., for the purpose of accompanying Secretary Sherman on his return in a day or so from Europe.

There, not because of a change for the worse in his condition, as has been reported, but because he feels that he has not been able to do the best possible for the nation and because he and his family are not well.

Minister Cox writes a friend in Washington that he will be in Washington next winter. He does not say what his purpose is in coming, but incidentally adds that his daily mail contains numerous requests from his former constituents to return to the United States and represent them in congress again. Mr. Cox's friends believe that the action of the nomination in his district this summer will afford a clear indication of that gentleman's future movements.

That in the case of Robert Schilling, the state organizer of the Knights of Labor, who was indicted by the grand jury on a charge of sending threatening letters, discredited and discharged by Judge Sloan Thursday. The jury was out eighteen hours, and stood six for acquittal and six for conviction. The case of Frank Hirsch, Charles Diamond, and Anton Halm taken up. It occupied all day to get the jury, and seventy-five persons were examined, sixty of whom were rejected.

A Madison, Wis., telegram says: It has been announced here that the Anglo-American Fire Insurance Company of Washington, D. C., has closed up its business, and the President and Secretary, it is said, have departed respectively for Europe and Australia. This is one of the companies that were doing business in this State contrary to law. It was proceeded against by the insurance commissioners, and recently judgments of about \$10,000 were secured against the company in the United States Court here. In order to escape the judgments, it is said, the company abandoned business.

A conference was held Saturday at Youngstown, O., between the Mahoning Valley Iron company, who refused to sign the scale, and President Wells and other officials of the Amalgamated association. The company asked to have a clause stricken out requiring 17 cents per ton to be paid for doubling the scale on two high rolls, which the association refused to do. The company asserted that the mills would keep idle, as it could not run and pay the scale with this clause included, but

the association refused to consider it. The company said that the matter would not be settled for some time, as both sides are very determined.

The House of Representatives on Thursday, July 6, 1886, adjourned until Friday, July 7, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Friday, July 7, 1886, adjourned until Saturday, July 8, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Saturday, July 8, 1886, adjourned until Sunday, July 9, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Sunday, July 9, 1886, adjourned until Monday, July 10, 1886.

The Senate on Sunday, July 9, 1886, adjourned until Monday, July 10, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Monday, July 10, 1886, adjourned until Tuesday, July 11, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Tuesday, July 11, 1886, adjourned until Wednesday, July 12, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Wednesday, July 12, 1886, adjourned until Thursday, July 13, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Thursday, July 13, 1886, adjourned until Friday, July 14, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Friday, July 14, 1886, adjourned until Saturday, July 15, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Saturday, July 15, 1886, adjourned until Sunday, July 16, 1886.

The Senate on Saturday, July 15, 1886, adjourned until Sunday, July 16, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Sunday, July 16, 1886, adjourned until Monday, July 17, 1886.

The Senate on Sunday, July 16, 1886, adjourned until Monday, July 17, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Monday, July 17, 1886, adjourned until Tuesday, July 18, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Tuesday, July 18, 1886, adjourned until Wednesday, July 19, 1886.

The Senate on Tuesday, July 18, 1886, adjourned until Wednesday, July 19, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Wednesday, July 19, 1886, adjourned until Thursday, July 20, 1886.

The Senate on Wednesday, July 19, 1886, adjourned until Thursday, July 20, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Thursday, July 20, 1886, adjourned until Friday, July 21, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Friday, July 21, 1886, adjourned until Saturday, July 22, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Sunday, July 23, 1886, adjourned until Monday, July 24, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Monday, July 24, 1886, adjourned until Tuesday, July 25, 1886.

The Senate on Monday, July 24, 1886, adjourned until Tuesday, July 25, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Tuesday, July 25, 1886, adjourned until Wednesday, July 26, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Wednesday, July 26, 1886, adjourned until Thursday, July 27, 1886.

The Senate on Wednesday, July 26, 1886, adjourned until Thursday, July 27, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Thursday, July 27, 1886, adjourned until Friday, July 28, 1886.

The Senate on Thursday, July 27, 1886, adjourned until Friday, July 28, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Friday, July 28, 1886, adjourned until Saturday, July 29, 1886.

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The House of Representatives on Saturday, July 29, 1886, adjourned until Sunday, July 30, 1886.

The Senate on Saturday, July 29, 1886, adjourned until Sunday, July 30, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Sunday, July 30, 1886, adjourned until Monday, July 31, 1886.

The Senate on Sunday, July 30, 1886, adjourned until Monday, July 31, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Monday, July 31, 1886, adjourned until Tuesday, August 1, 1886.

The Senate on Monday, July 31, 1886, adjourned until Tuesday, August 1, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Tuesday, August 1, 1886, adjourned until Wednesday, August 2, 1886.

The Senate on Tuesday, August 1, 1886, adjourned until Wednesday, August 2, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Wednesday, August 2, 1886, adjourned until Thursday, August 3, 1886.

The Senate on Wednesday, August 2, 1886, adjourned until Thursday, August 3, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Thursday, August 3, 1886, adjourned until Friday, August 4, 1886.

The Senate on Thursday, August 3, 1886, adjourned until Friday, August 4, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Friday, August 4, 1886, adjourned until Saturday, August 5, 1886.

The Senate on Friday, August 4, 1886, adjourned until Saturday, August 5, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Saturday, August 5, 1886, adjourned until Sunday, August 6, 1886.

The Senate on Saturday, August 5, 1886, adjourned until Sunday, August 6, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Sunday, August 6, 1886, adjourned until Monday, August 7, 1886.

The Senate on Sunday, August 6, 1886, adjourned until Monday, August 7, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Monday, August 7, 1886, adjourned until Tuesday, August 8, 1886.

The Senate on Monday, August 7, 1886, adjourned until Tuesday, August 8, 1886.

The House of Representatives on Tuesday, August 8, 1886, adjourned until Wednesday, August 9, 1886.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 1903.

—Allen Pearl, of Michigan, was the first to plant wool crop.

—Mr. Chas. Wilson and Miss Nellie Miller, of Owosso, were married June 28.

Byron Herald, The Journal of Father C. Botsford, formerly a resident of Owosso, was held here on Monday last. Mr. B. died at Fentonville, aged 80 years.

CLASS HISTORY.

Owosso High School, Class of '86.

BY MARY E. WELTON.

In our school life, history repeats itself. The history of the class of '86 varies slightly from that of every other class that has graduated from our school.

The personal history of the class is a subject with which I do not intend to meddle, for in such a history the public can have little interest. It is our collective history as students and classmates, the experiences which we have shared, our daily duties and progress and some incidents in our school life that I shall endeavor to portray.

Twelve years ago, what memories that simple sentence calls to our minds. As we look back along the stream of time that bears us onward in its course toward the broad ocean of eternity, its joys and sorrows, its hopes and fears pass in panoramic view before us.

In the recollection of our early school life our thoughts naturally turn to our early teachers. Prominent among them comes the recollection of one who was loved and honored by all who knew her. Her heart chastened by sorrow, she turned to us with all a mother's affection. Our griefs were her griefs, our triumphs her reward. Such in brief was the character of our first teacher, Mrs. Waldron. In the language of the poet, "None saw her not to love, none knew her but to praise." Under her watchful care and patient guidance of our childish minds we began our school life.

With the same patient watchfulness from each of our succeeding teachers, step by step we advanced and with each advancing step, books became more numerous and lessons harder, but our minds were more able to cope with them.

Each year had its alternation between the hope and fear of promotion; but knowing that each step was necessary in laying the foundation of an enlightened education, we plodded faithfully on our weary way, hoping to brighten the prospects of the future. Thus, year by year, and courage for further efforts. Nearer and nearer we approached the goal of our childish ambition—the High School.

In June, 1882, the members of the class of '86 received their certificates of promotion to the High School as reward for the eight years' hard study through which they had passed; and one bright morning in September of the same year with high hopes and cheerful hearts we began our High School course.

Thus far on our journey in the paths of knowledge we traveled hand in hand. Together we struck that higher plane where the broad avenues of science opened up before us. And here our paths diverge.

Some of our number have chosen the classic road to future fame and usefulness, and, in addition to the higher mathematical studies, have mastered the histories of Greece and Rome with their heroes and statesmen and the works of the poets and philosophers—consumed the "midnight oil" in acquiring the thorough knowledge of that language which is the root of all others.

Others of our numbers, realizing to themselves the stern necessity of a practical education fitted to every day duties of life, have chosen what seemed to them best adapted to their wants and conditions in life, and have devoted themselves with equal zeal to the study of the English course.

Our freshman year was an uneventful one except for a change of teachers at the beginning of the second term, when to our sincere regret we were called upon to part with Miss Myrick, our Preceptor. Though her stay among us had been short her cultured mind and pleasant ways had endeared her to us all. Her place, however, was soon taken by Mr. Thomas and the routine of duty resumed. The year passed slowly by; vacation came and passed quickly and September found us again in our places.

Rejoiced at having passed the first milestone, we entered upon our sophomore year with still higher hopes. This year opened new and more interesting studies than the last, involving closer application, and thus preparing us for the higher branches to follow in the two succeeding years. Much to our gratification the change of teachers occurred. During the year three new members joined us and others of our number left us for other fields of usefulness.

Thus two years passed and the third year came upon us giving us renewed courage and interest in our work by opening up to us a wider field of classical and scientific knowledge. This year was also marked by a change of teachers. Mr. Thomas left us and his place was filled by Mr. Stannard. This substitution furnished us a competent teacher fresh from the experiments of science in the University, and gave us still better advantages for improvement. His method of teaching was a gratification to all of us and his kindly ways made the entire year a pleasant one.

It was under his tuition that the rhetorical exercises of the school took a new direction, making these exercises, usually so irksome to the student, both pleasing and profitable. At his suggestion the class of '86 resolved to become better acquainted with the English poets and selected Shakespeare as their particular study thus cultivating a taste for the higher order of English literature and acquiring a knowledge of that kind of writing which we otherwise might have passed unnoticed. For the purpose of reading and discussing the various works of Shakespeare we held meetings during the winter term at the houses of the respective members of the class, and at these meetings we always found in our youthful teacher a ready and willing helper. As we were the first Shakespearean reading class we decided to make our Junior exercise of a Shakespearean character.

At the beginning of our Junior year we numbered twelve, and in the fall of the first term the fall of the class of '87. There were eleven represented at our Junior exercises, but soon after our President resigned her position for the pursuit of education in another direction. Still another of our number left us at the close of the year. It was with sorrow that we saw our class thus diminishing in numbers and we took up the duties of the last term hoping that none of those remaining would be called upon to leave us. This year closed with a disappointment to us all for we were unable to part with our Principal. His deep interest in our success and companionable ways made him seem almost one of us and it was with the deepest regret that we bade him farewell.

Another milestone passed, the goal almost in view, we began our Senior year. Here again good fortune met us on our way, for as much as we regretted the departure of our last teacher, we have been more than compensated by the ripe experience of his successor. Our first step at the beginning of the year was the reorganization of the class and adoption of a constitution and by-laws to govern our actions for the year. We continued to hold weekly meetings, but not for literary purposes. Other business came before the class. After discussing the subject frequently we decided to follow the example of the class of '85 in giving a reception to our teachers to show our respect and appreciation of their kindness to us through all these years. Our class was small for such an undertaking, but with the timely assistance of our friends the event passed off harmoniously.

Nothing occurred to interrupt the monotony of the second term. The same constant persevering study on our part and an abundance of patience on the part of our teachers.

At the beginning of the last term we learned to our dismay that yet another of our members could not return, thus reducing our number to eight. This term our work seemed to increase as the number of our remaining school days decreased, and our hearts were filled with anxiety and fear when we contemplated the magnitude of the work before us. Many times we have been discouraged, but each time hope has returned, giving us new strength and energy to persevere to the end. We do not regret that our work here is over; our hearts are saddened only at the thought of parting.

Nothing during the many changes which have taken place in the Faculty during our High School life, our Superintendent has remained the same, and it has been our good fortune to meet for the past six years the same kindly greeting from the same cheerful face. He has been ever ready and willing to help us in all our perplexities, ever striving to guide us aright in the paths of truth as well as those of knowledge. Surely he has proved himself a faithful friend and Christian gentleman.

To the individual members of the Faculty we owe our heartiest thanks for their untiring interest in our progress. Though our stupids have often tried to make you feel that you were not in knowing that you have done your duty. If our progress has disappointed you, be not discouraged or dismayed; others will follow from year to year who will better fill the measure of your expectations. If at times our perverseness has pained you, we ask you to cast the burden of our faults upon the Lord, being that "To err is human; to forgive, divine."

To the present Board of Education and others who have passed before them, we owe a lasting debt of gratitude. Through all these years they have provided us with competent teachers, and furnished us all the appliances necessary for the attainment of a practical education.

And there is yet another class to which our gratitude is due—the great army of taxpayers. Year after year their hands have gone down deep into their pockets to furnish the "sinews of war" to keep all this machinery in motion. Their reward comes in the superior intelligence that lights up the faces of those who gather round their firesides. It comes in the contemplation of the lasting monument to the cause of education they have helped to rear. It comes in the consciousness of having thus contributed to the grandeur of the state and the dignity of the people.

Classmates, we are soon to separate. In parting let us endeavor to cherish only the most pleasing memories of each other and our school life and let our unhappy moments be forgotten. Having learned just enough to see how little we know, let us persevere still farther in the pursuit of knowledge which shall make us most useful each in his individual sphere of life, not forgetting the pursuit of that higher knowledge necessary to lead us to the better life which is to follow this. Then indeed, shall "Our ways be ways of pleasantness, and all our paths be peace."

Possibly Taffy, but True.

Detroit Free Press. I was talking with Charley Osburn, of Marquette—splendid fellow, Charley is, and he knows what he is talking about generally," said James Caplin, "and he expressed an opinion that the political situation in Michigan was a great deal closer than any one admits."

"What did he say?" "That he was not at all certain that the Republicans would have a majority in the next Legislature."

"How did he come to speak of that?" "We were discussing the probability of ex-Senator T. W. Ferry's entering the field as a candidate."

"You think he will be there?" "Sure. But if there's a Democratic majority in the Legislature his candidacy would be of but slight importance."

"Why does Mr. Osburn feel somewhat doubtful about the result?" "Well, he says the Republicans underestimate the better organization and thorough discipline of the Democrats in Michigan."

"Isn't that what might be called 'Taffy'?" "Possibly so, but it's none the less true."

The President's Vetoes.

The Milwaukee Sentinel is a daily paper, the most liberal of the Republican organs. Nevertheless, it is restrained enough to say that it regrets to see a Republican President make an unfair and dishonorable use of the fact that the President has vetoed legislation. They charge that the President is using the veto to suppress the reasons assigned by the President for his action. The fact which they press upon the attention of their readers is that the Democratic President has defeated the claims of a number of the Union soldiers. The veto is evidently to create prejudice among the soldiers and their friends, with little care whether it is true or not. Continuing in the same strain, the editor of the Sentinel says that he has read the vetoes, and is bound to concede that if the President's statement of the several cases was correct, he was justified in withholding his approval of the vetoes. This is a very honorable in the Sentinel, and should put to blush the little party organs that started to create prejudice against the President because of these vetoes. But there is little danger that anyone will honestly misconstruct his motives in treating them as he did. The country is pretty well convinced that Cleveland is a thoroughly honest, as well as a decidedly courageous chief executive.—Ex.

Barry County Democrat.—Western Michigan should have the governorship for the next two years.—Since the state was organized the Governor has almost always been an easterner. Detroit had the office twelve years, Flint six years, Pontiac four years, East Saginaw two years, and other eastern towns make an almost unbroken record for the past quarter of a century.—The next Governor will be a democrat, and prominently named in this connection are Julius Houseman of Grand Rapids, Michael Shoemaker of Jackson, Henry Chamberlain of Three Oaks, and H. C. Sherwood of Watervliet, either one of whom would make a winning race and excellent officer.

Hello! Hello! Hello! The enterprising merchant has again added to his stock of goods for the promotion of the citizens of Owosso for all Family and Staple Goods, and at his new store will be found a line of everything that is palatable to the tastes of the most fastidious. Frank's motto is to carry the best of goods in the market, and sell as low as possible. He also has secured the agency of the celebrated Lucky Star Cigar, which is pure Havana filler and Sumatra wrapper, made by hand and guaranteed unexcelled. J. H. HANSEN, Sole Agent. Ask for the Lucky Star Cigar, only five cents.

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LADIES. By having received instruction at the best Art School for Dressmaking in Detroit, I am prepared to do the finest work in the latest styles. I will keep posted with all the leading styles of the day. Will sew by the day, or work at my home, and will try to please all who will give me a call. —Please call and examine work. MISS NETTIE BOWMAN, No. 121 Comstock Street east, Owosso, Mich.

Ladies Attention. I now occupy rooms over the post office and door, and shall be glad to see all my old customers and as many new ones as may wish to come. I shall be prepared with plenty of reliable help, and work will be done with neatness and dispatch, second to none in the city. Call and see. Prices reasonable. xxxizyif — MRS. S. E. TUCKER.

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A CARD. Having purchased the entire stock of Spectacles and Eye Glasses of W. F. Guile, in addition to my own equally large stock, I am now prepared to offer you unparalleled inducements in

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE. FOR SALE—Two 40 acre farms in the township of East, six miles north-west of Owosso City on the line of the T. & A. & N. M. R. R. near Hamlin P. O. Both good crops of corn and clover. For particulars inquire on the premises or address me at Owosso, Mich. C. C. ROWELL.

For Sale. I offer for sale, my farm, of 80 acres situated south of Owosso, on the town line road between Owosso and Bennington, known as the Charles Parker farm. 65 acres of improved, good house, granary, and horse barn, good well and two new cattle springs. For particulars inquire on the premises or address me at Owosso, Mich. HUGH DOUGLASS.

For Sale. Improved and unimproved Farm Land, adjacent to railroad, title good. In township of East, Brady, Chazy, Marion, Fremont and Abee Saginaw County, Elba and Hamilton, Grand County, Michigan. (Gladwin and Shawansee Counties). Choice of 1,000 acres. Terms of sale to suit purchasers. Inquire of J. M. OSBORN, Owosso, Mich. 22-2817.

Farm for Sale. In Owosso township, known as the J. H. McCall farm, 2 1/2 miles south-west of Owosso city, 152 acres, about 100 acres improved, two good dwelling houses, two grain and hay barns, horse and carriage barn, wagon shed, hog house, apple orchard, peaches, pears and all kinds of small fruits, 3 cowboys, running brook and other conveniences. For terms inquire on the farm, or address McCall Brothers, Owosso, Mich. 22-2817.

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G. R. LYON, Real Estate and Loan Office, Over M. L. Stewart & Co's Bank, OWOSSO, MICH. MONEY TO LOAN AT LIVING RATES. FARMS BOUGHT AND SOLD. CITY LOTS IN SIZES TO SUIT ON LONG TIME. FARM AND CITY PROPERTY EXCHANGED.

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BROWN'S MARRIAGE.

Constance Brown was a girl that he never saw a pretty face without falling in love with. He certainly was of a susceptible nature, but he had so much time on his hands and so much money when he considered it incumbent on him to spend it that he had to do something. As he had neither wit nor industry enough to take to trade or sport, he took to falling in love, and in his drowsy and easy-going way did his best to do his self-imposed vocation justice.

One day, after he had carried his fascinating employment on ten years or so and wasted a fortune on bonbons and opera boxes, diamonds and lap dogs, lawn parties and midnight banquets, according to the social and moral qualities of his impartial inamoratas, his friend Robinson suggested it was about time he got married. Brown had a great regard for Robinson for several reasons. One was that they belonged to the same club, and perhaps still more because Robinson owed him money. Robinson had the tastes of a prince and the income of a parasite. Brown's ready good nature and plethoric bank account represented all of this income but a couple of thousand dollars a year, the rent of a house an eccentric old aunt had left her pet nephew in trust, for fear he would squander the principal if it was given to him. Robinson had reason to bless the foresight of his venerable benefactor after he finished his share of Robinson's estate. It provided him, at any rate, with club dues and pocket money, and chance and ready wit supplied the rest—that is to say, they supplied him with Brown, and for ten years Brown fulfilled the rest of the contract.

"So you think I ought to get married, eh?" said Brown. "You ought," returned Robinson, decisively. "It's too bad. You're frittering yourself away like a raw member, and I'll swear there are grey hairs in your mustache."

"Well," said Brown, "perhaps you're right. But who is she?"

"Didn't you meet my sister when you were at Naples last winter?" demanded Robinson.

"Oh!" retorted his friend. "She—she's the best and purest girl alive," cried Robinson, with sudden animation, dealing the table a blow with his open palm.

"Well, who the deuce said she wasn't?" asked Brown calmly. "I was going to say she wouldn't have me."

"My dear boy," said Robinson, drawing his chair closer, and patting his knee in friendly confidence, "you're wrong."

"No," said Brown incredulously. "I tell you yes," insisted Robinson. "The poor girl adores you. She has written to me a dozen times, and made me promise never to give it away to you. I am breaking my word, but I can't help it. Friend, dear boy, 'Bobby,' said Brown, getting up, 'you're a good fellow. Thank you. I'll think of it.'"

They went out together. As they parted at the first corner Robinson, having some special business and Brown an engagement at the stage door of the Casino, the former borrowed a spare fifty from his friend. While Brown was bowling up-town in a hansom Robinson was in the office of the Commercial Cable company writing the following dispatch, which he paid for out of the clean, crisp note which had not grown warm in his hand:

Miss Louise Robinson, Hotel Ruysser, Paris, France. Come home at once. Brown and wedding bells are ready.

It was gray morning when Brown's cat-footed valet pulled his master's boots off. Invested in his night-robe Brown dismissed his attendant. His head was hot and the bed looked warm. He opened the window and looked into the mist. Then he closed it and lighted a cigar from a stand on the mantel, went to his desk and from one of its compartments produced a little account-book in a cover of aromatic leather. This book was headed, page for page:

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"Gad!" he said, when he had made a total. "He's too greedy."

And he closed his book, threw his cigar and the balance-sheet into the grate, rinsed his mouth out, and went to bed.

Three weeks later L'Amérique steamed up the harbor. The first shore visitors to board her at her pier were Brown and Robinson. The greeting between Robinson and his sister was charmingly tender. Miss Robinson's reception of Brown was delightfully gentle and confiding. Miss Robinson might have been a few years younger, but she could not have been more innocent and trustful if she had died.

Happy as she was to meet her old acquaintance, for whose sake the de-voting worm had ever since been preying upon her cheek, she insisted on "Dear Fred" putting her in the coach. Brown, whose gallantry was natural, however, vicious indulgence had rendered it, performed that office for her maid. It was raining and he insisted on the maid's sharing the coach with them. His valet remained to battle with the tide-waiters.

For the next month nothing was talked about in a certain set but the approaching union of Brown and Robinson. It was a splendid match for there was the universal verdict. Brown was a millionaire, Miss Robinson had about enough a year to pay her board and dress and to live decently, and every one knew what Fred was. A good many people went so far as to express sorrow for Brown. He only smiled when his valet gave him the gossip he had picked up and went on his way.

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1st. All samples are in, and we can now talk intelligently, and tell the people what to expect the coming year.

2d. The first steamer teas are the best, and come in about 10c lower than last year.

3d. All Teas will be from 5 to 10c lower.

4th. I have on account of the decline, purchased a few chests of GENUINE VIOLET GARDEN TEA. Heretofore these teas have been too high.

This Tea is now on exhibition at my store, and is a sight of BEAUTY, as well as a marvel of rosy fragrance. My customers are invited to come in and take home a drawing for Sunday.

5th. We shall sell the Violet Sun Cured Tea No. 1 for 50c a pound. Last year these teas cost 50 cents to buy.

6th. We have in reserve 75 chests of Standards, all guaranteed for the whole season at prices that we can furnish the trade by the chest, or consumers by the pound, 10 pounds or 20 pounds, as low as any house in the State. This we guarantee.

7th. I have always led in Teas and intend to continue, and on its merits.

8th. BIG BONANZA has been a great success; we still continue to present a handsome tea can to every first purchase. This tea will be sprinkled with the new 1886 crop after this date, and goes at 35c, 3 pounds for \$1.50, 3000 pounds we want to sell in the next four months. Call for Big Bonanza Tea.

Our 40c tea will be same as 50c of last year.

Our Violet New Dust, at 25c, delicious.

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Lastly we wish it understood that my teas are bought at wholesale dealers' prices in one hundred chest lots, and we take no chances as all are warranted for six months; what we say to dealers or consumers we guarantee to make good, and that is, that our scale of prices shall be way down, and our goods as represented always. Call for Violet if you want the best 50c Tea in the State. Big Bonanza if you want a good first-class tea and a bargain. No. 1 Garden if you want to match 50 cent tea for 40c a pound. Violet Garden if you want the best tea ever shown in Shiawassee County. And now we're ready, come on.

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More than I want, and I propose to offer them to smokers at wholesale prices as below:

"La Carolina," not a high priced 5c Cigar, but a genuine 10 cent cigar, I will sell for 5c
Solid Havana Cheroots, "large," 10 for 35c
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Lady Jane, 10 for 25c
Silk Ties, very fine, 10 for 35c
Peacock, Thistle Dew & Silver Ark, 10 for 20c

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Don't trifle with any Throat or Lung Disease. If you have a Cough or Cold, or the children are threatened with Croup or Whooping Cough, use Acker's English Remedy and prevent further trouble. It is a positive cure, and we guarantee it. Price 10 and 50c. For sale by Bigelow & Bigelow.

If you have lost a child, remember that for the one gone there is no more to do; for those remaining, everything; hide your grief for their sakes.

An End to Bone Scrapings.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. I have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c per box by Dr. C. A. Osborn.

A Clear Skin

is only a part of beauty; but it is a part. Every lady may have it; at least, what looks like it. Magnolia Balm both freshens and beautifies.

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Wednesday, July 7, 1892.

Another Democrat, William H. Wadsworth, of Corunna, a former chairman of the Democratic County Committee, is appointed postmaster at that place, to succeed W. R. Chapell.

The Corunna postoffice has been relegated to the fourth class, as have also Mifflin and Montague in this state and they are no longer presidential offices. The appointments are made by the postmaster-general and are not subject to confirmation by the Senate.

The President has signed the bill John Porter bill, and that bill, which stands vindicated, has been passed, though partisan malice has sought to thwart its passage.

Rally the Young Men.

Gov. Hill, of New York, in a recent address at Boston, said:

"I bring to you the glad tidings that the democracy of the Empire State was never more united than it is to-day. I have the satisfaction of announcing to you that there is not to-day in the state of New York a single Republican state official elected by the people. We have managed during the last few years to rally to our side the young men of the state, who a few years ago were going into the Republican party. I have only one suggestion to make to our friends in all parts of the Union, and that is to rally the young men of the land into the Democratic party. We take the old men for counsel and the young men for action."

LATEST NEWS.

Convicted Boycotters of a New York Concert Saloon Sentenced to the State Prison.

Bradstreet's Report on the General Condition of Trade and Crops for Last Week.

New York, July 4.—Bradstreet's reports trade for last week as seasonably quiet and without special feature, but concurs in mentioning a very hopeful feeling among merchants as to the outlook for the autumn. Money is less active at Kansas City, in fair request at Milwaukee, and more active at Chicago and St. Joseph, Mo. Mercantile collections are materially improved at St. Louis, Kansas City, Milwaukee, and Cleveland. In the New York stock market, there is a more pronounced bearish tendency, growing out of the freight-rate war in which the granger roads are engaged, the large exports of gold, and the sudden advance in rates for money. The transactions of the week ending Friday were 1,153,000 shares, against 1,319,000 shares last week. Bonds of all classes are dull. Investments and governments are firm. Exchange was firm, and \$3,500,000 gold was engaged for shipment. Commercial paper is dull.

The interest in wool has receded from the central western states to Montana, Wyoming, and Utah, where prices are held above a parity with those ruling at eastern markets. The clip east of the Mississippi has been cleared up, bought more largely by speculators than by manufacturers, prices having risen from 1 to 3 cents per pound within ten days. The tone of the dry goods market is encouraging, all advances in cotton goods having been well maintained and stocks being light. The pig-iron market is unchanged as to price. Mill irons are dull. Steel rails are strong at the low prices quoted and the mills are full of orders. The low price of English rails causes a depressing influence.

Wheat prospects, aside from Wisconsin and Minnesota, are for a fair harvest. Estimates vary from 435,000,000 to 465,000,000 bushels. The foreign wheat prospects are less favorable, particularly in India. Reports of stocks of wheat east of the Rocky Mountains July 1 aggregated 35,000,000 bushels, against 36,000,000 three months ago, and on the Pacific coast 6,000,000 bushels, against 10,000,000 April 1. Petroleum tends lower, but is variable under conflicting new-well news. Hard has been materially advanced by speculators. The July cotton report shows that heavy rains have injured the growing crop, so that the condition may be classed as fair only, against good one year ago.

The total number of failures in the United States reported to Bradstreet's for six months of 1892 is 6,461, against 6,196 in 1891, 5,444 in 1890, and 5,239 in 1889. The total liabilities are \$53,241,000, against \$69,570,000 in six months of 1891, \$124,104,000 in 1890, and \$78,694,000 in 1889. The assets aggregated \$25,509,000, against \$32,955,000 in six months of 1891, \$70,750,000 in 1890, and \$90,887,000 in 1889. The percentage of assets to liabilities this year and last is 48, against 56 in six months of 1891, and 64 in 1889.

The monthly statistics of sugar stocks show a reduction, the visible supply standing at 1,175 tons, against 1,420,247 tons last week, but are still heavy compared with a year ago, when they were 1,228,598 tons. There is a fair crop outlook, checks and no check.

Convicted boycotters of Theiss, the proprietor of a concert garden at New York, were arraigned in court yesterday for sentence. Judge Barrett made strong remarks to them on the lawlessness of the crime of which they were convicted. He said that this was a violation of peace to a country that welcomes foreign born citizens to a country that offered freedom and the privilege of speech. They had violated public rights and opinions, and their offenses were short of black-mail. The distribution of circulars before places of business was a conspiracy punishable as such. Their conduct, if unpunished, would lead to anarchy. They may have been misled by bad advice, but they cannot be excused. They should have been more careful.

The decrease in the public debt for June was \$9,618,257.

The Chicago directory for 1892, including a population of 750,000.

Count Gazan has arrived at Quebec with the Cardinal's hat for Mgr. Taschereau.

Refrigerate exports from the port of New York the last week were valued at \$7,322,000.

A profit of \$6,000 for June is reported by the managers of Sing Sing prison, New York.

The democrats of New Hampshire have again nominated Thomas C. Cresswell for governor.

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CITY MARKETS.

Chicago Market by F. R. DICKER.

Wednesday July 7, 1892.

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no better made. Boys', do. \$1.75.

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Men's -- Summer -- Underwear
EVER SHOWN IN THIS CITY.

AN ACRE OF STRAW GOODS NOW GOING CHEAP.
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YOU CAN'T MISS US.

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WHY
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We have the Largest Stock to
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We buy in Large Quantities
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We buy only Fresh, New
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We buy no old trash that is dear
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We mark our goods at Lowest
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You can buy goods of us at less
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DRY GOODS,
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WALL PAPERS.
GREAT BARGAINS at G. W. LORING & SON'S.
10,000 ROLLS JUST RECEIVED.

These goods were bought at from twenty-five to fifty per cent cheaper than regular rates; therefore we do not propose to give them away, but instead divide the profits with our customers. These are all brand new goods, and first-class. Look at the following prices:

Brown Blanks, 7 1-2 to 9 cents per roll.
White Blanks, 9 to 12 1-2 cents per roll.
Satin, 15 to 20 cents per roll.
Micas, 16 to 22 1-2 cents per roll.
Gold, 25 to 50 cents per roll.

Also a large stock of WINDOW SHADES and FIXTURES,
SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c., constantly on hand.
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ATTENTION.
NEW LUMBER, COAL AND WOOD YARD.

We are now prepared to do business at our new yard on Comstock Street, just east of Washington. Have just unloaded 150 cars of Flooring, Siding, Ceiling, Barn and Roof Boards, Shingles and Lath, and have on the D. G. H. & M. track 60 cars of Scranton Coal from the best mine of the Pennsylvania Coal Co. [the city Gas Co., now use this coal] Will deliver coal in July at \$5.83 for Egg, Stove and Chestnut; 25c extra per ton for handling in baskets; we use the Standard Howe Scales, no guess work on weights.

We have come to stay and will endeavor to satisfy all who deal with us. We handle none but lumber cut from green pine. Prompt attention given all orders.

Will pay market price cash for 1000 cords of wood, sawed ends; within thirty days we shall have the best stock of Doors, Sash and Blinds, put on the market. Remember the place, Comstock Street, near Aberle's Tannery. Telephone connection: xxiv45 OWOSSO LUMBER & COAL CO.

Grand Opening
AT

THE FAMOUS
Saturday, July 10,

IN THEIR
Splendid New Store
IN THE
-- WILLIAMS -- BLOCK --

We are too busy this week to write an ad, but we invite everybody to call and see us in our new quarters at our Grand Opening next Saturday, when every one will receive a fine souvenir.

Don't forget the day and date Saturday, July 10.

THE FAMOUS,
WILLIAMS BLOCK,
OWOSSO. MICH.

BOOMING! -- RUSHING!
IS THE WAY BUSINESS IS WITH

Grahame & Connor.
WHY?

Simply because they are making the finest article of
ICE CREAM

In this section, and the people appreciate a GOOD THING. Try our cream once and you will always want it, as it is exactly as we represent it,

STRICTLY PURE.

Our prices are: One quart, 35c, two quarts, 60c, three quarts, 90c, one gallon, \$1.10, two gallons or more \$1.00 per gallon, packed in ice and delivered to any part of the city.

Our cream can be found for sale in Lansing, Ionia, St. Johns, Ovid, Durand, Fenton, Holly, Pontiac, St. Louis, Ithaca, St. Charles, &c.

THREE AND ONE-HALF TONS

Was the amount of Ice Cream we sold last season, and this season we propose to double that amount if giving the people FIRST-CLASS goods will accomplish it.

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CITY AND COUNTY
—Peck's Bad Boy—
—More Indians have arrived at the reservation.
—Mrs. James Osborn has returned from her visit to St. Louis.
—At the Farmers' next Saturday grand opening in new store. See ad.
—Fred W. Lammert has placed a fine stone walk in front of his hotel.
—Mrs. L. A. Hamlin leaves today to visit her parents at Colocation, N. Y.
—Want to know all about Banister's new groceries? Read his new ad.
—Miss Maud Baldwin is in Vernon visiting her friend Miss Ella Marks.
—The salary of the Owosso postoffice has been raised \$100, making it \$1,500.
—Everyone who enjoys a laugh is going to see Peck's Bad Boy Friday night.
—Mrs. Cyrus Matthews and Mary E. Durand were married, July 1st, by Rev. G. H. Wilson.
—Mrs. L. E. P. Pops and children, of Flint, are visiting Mrs. A. L. Williams and family.
—Miss Grace Dewey has returned home for the summer vacation, from Wellesley College.
—J. J. Davis says prices talk, and he does some loud talking on prices in his advertisement, of clearing sales.
—Mrs. J. A. Hubbard, who has been visiting at J. H. Champion's, returned yesterday to her home in Detroit.
—Quackenbush Post took the first prize, \$15, for drill at the Perry celebration.
—There were four competing postmen.
—F. H. Banister's new delivery wagon came out for the first time last week. It is a "daudy." It is from Thos. Nelson's shop.
—Arrangements are not yet perfected for teachers of our school, and we await the completion before making announcements.
—Mrs. Henry Clay, of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. L. E. Chase, of Jackson, Mich., are visiting their brother, T. R. Bailey, for a few days.
—Moore's orchestra furnished the music for the Perry Union School graduating exercises, and their local reporters say it was superb.
—Mr. Howard Bowman, of this city and Miss Maggie Farrell, of New Haven, were married in Ovid, Sunday, July 4, by Rev. John Martin.
—All in want of lumber, coal or wood are invited to note the new advertisement of the Owosso Lumber & Coal Company, yard on Comstock street.
—"Fred Todd, M. D." That is the way it reads. Fred was one of the graduates from the Medical Department of the University, last week.
—Messrs. Chas. Lawrence and County Treasurer Todd gave a fine display of fireworks Monday evening, a joint exhibition, near their residences.
—The Class History printed on the second page of this paper is an interesting and excellent resume of the class progress during the course of study.
—A call this morning from Hon. Isaac Gale and son Charles, of Morris, happy to see our staunch old friend, the Judge, looking quite vigorous and hearty.
—Miss Nellie Turner left for Amherstburg last week to spend some time with her father at the consulate. Misses Nellie Gates and Anna Mason accompanied her for a visit. The latter has returned.
—The National Hotel is undergoing a thorough renovation. Mine host Patterson is repapering the office and putting other improvements in it, and giving the hotel generally a thorough renovation.
—Peters has moved his business into the store vacated by Paul Roth, and has a fine assortment of furniture and undertaker's goods to show. Now read his advertisement Washington instead of Exchange street.
—A carload of wall paper, yes, a full carload, piled up in a row, is what we saw at Loring & Son's a few days ago. This immense stock was bought at a bargain and the firm propose to give their customers the benefit of the bargain. For particulars, read the new advertisement in this paper.

M. L. STEWART & CO., BANKERS, Owosso, Michigan.

Collections made and remitted for promptly on day of payment.
Draw drafts on all the principal cities of Europe.

Also draw Bank Money Orders payable in foreign countries, and the money is delivered at the residence of the person to whom sent.

CORRESPONDENTS:
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CORRESPONDENTS:
—The National Bank of the Republic, New York.
—Merchants and Manufacturers' National Bank, Detroit.
—Maverick National Bank, Boston.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

OWOSSO CHAPTER No. 50, B. A. M.
Regular Convocation first Friday of each month.

OWOSSO LODGE No. 51, F. & A. M.
Regular Communications on Wednesday evening, next before the full moon of each month.

OWOSSO LODGE No. 52, I. O. O. F.
A week on Friday evening, next before the full moon of each month.

ORIENTAL ENCAMPMENT, No. 5, I. O. O. F.
Meetings on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month, in their hall, northeast corner of Main and Washington streets, Owosso, Mich.

DA. C. MCCORMICK, C. P.

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BUSINESS DIRECTORY CARDS
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B. J. RAYLOR, Justice of the Peace and Attorney at Law
Office over the Postoffice, Washington Street, Owosso, Mich.

ALBERT CHANDLER, Attorney at Law
Office over the Postoffice, Washington Street, Owosso, Mich.

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Washington Street, Owosso, Mich.

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A Brilliant Event.

The engagement of Miss Mary M. Potter to Mr. H. B. Payne, of Detroit, was announced last week. The wedding will take place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Payne, on Saturday, July 13, at 10 o'clock. The bride is the daughter of Mr. H. B. Payne, of Detroit, and the groom is the son of Mr. H. B. Payne, of Detroit. The wedding will be a private affair, and only those invited will be present.

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B. B. Extraordinary.

The actors and actresses have a game of base ball tomorrow afternoon at Pastime Park in this city. The game will be between the Owosso team and the Detroit team. The game will be a very interesting one, and is being played at the Owosso Opera House.

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What are Our Ministers Coming To?

Editors Press: We are afraid the great Kippapoo show is demoralizing. On Saturday night last we saw in the crowd which thronged the stand, the Methodist minister slowly disentangling himself. He had probably just "dropped in" for a moment to see "what kind of a thing it was." A little farther on the Episcopal minister was pausing for a moment in interested conversation with his parishioners ere he was hindered by his homeward. It was quite evident that he had "just dropped by" for a moment to see the people an example of due decorum. But crown of all, a little later, perched upon a fence where "ye boys" congregated and settled as if in orchestra chairs for the evening's entertainment, were the dignified representatives of the Baptist and Congregational Churches. Shocked at seeing Pulpiters so prominently enthroned at a Kippapoo show, you reporter was on the point of approaching to inquire how it was that ministers could absent themselves from their sermons on their busy Saturday night, when a huge and extensive fragment of plank waved aloft by the Baptist representative, and ready to be used to erect an eloquent invective from the Congregational representative struck terror to his heart and induced a precipitate retreat homeward. We would like to know, after seeing this illustration of the demoralization of our community, if the Mayor does not consider it his duty to stop these performances!

CAMPING OUT.

Mr. Geo. Richardson and families started yesterday for Higgins Lake, Roscommon county, to camp out and fish for a month.

The Owosso Sons of Veterans went to Bancroft, Saturday to the celebration,

and were delighted with their cordial reception—everything as free and as if they had been at home. They took second prize, \$10, on drill. The girls' brigade took first prize—so the gallant boys probably did not feel very bad to be second.

Corunna had a grand celebration on the 3d. There was an immense crowd;

the procession was very long, an interesting feature of which was the representation from the coal mine. The Oration was by Robert Fryer, Esq., of Detroit; music by the K. T. and West Owosso Bands, also a martial band. The Owosso B. B. Club played the Lullaby and beat them by 9 to 8. The celebration was a happy success.

Van Houten, realizing how faithfully

a strawberry pickers have stood by him, enabling him to harvest his entire crop in due season, will give them an entertainment of fireworks and amusements Tuesday evening, July 13. Friends are cordially invited.

Two composers went to Saginaw to

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Rooms to Rent.—Inquire at the Press office.

A choice line of cigars at F. H. BANISTER'S, Wesener Block.

Groceries of all description at F. H. BANISTER'S, Wesener Block.

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Mrs. JOHN HUNTINGTON, 4517 Michigan Avenue.

Born.

TILLOTSON.—At Midland Park, N. J., June 30, 12 M., to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. N. Tilgotson, a daughter, 11 lbs.

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AMUSEMENTS.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 2, 1893.

Grant and Porter.

A prominent feature of the session of the Senate today was the discussion of the bill for the relief of General Grant and Porter. The bill was introduced by Senator Stanford and was passed by a vote of 30 to 20.

The letter which sheds much new light on General Grant's attitude was written in 1885, in view of the then current discussion concerning the reasons for his change of mind. It was even said that a bargain had been made looking to a union between the friends of the bill for Grant's retirement and Porter's friends. This statement is set at rest by two strong and characteristic letters from Grant, in which he states that his own bill must give way to Porter's. "But even if I were anxious for the passage of the bill retiring me," he said, "I would not have it at the expense of one so deeply wronged as I now know you have been." The letter to which we have referred as giving the development of the change of General Grant's opinion begins by the statement that Porter was not a traitor in the opinion of the writer, who had confidence in the court martial before which Porter was tried, and because he had not, when he was acting Secretary of War and President, the evidence which clearly shows that the 430 order did not reach Porter until too late, and that the attack which Pope directed him to make ought not to have been attempted by reason of the presence of a superior force, the arrival of which Pope was ignorant when he gave the order. The finding of the court martial was further more sustained by Grant's opinion of Porter's unfriendly feeling for Pope. His adverse opinion was first shaken by learning that Terry had changed his mind, and an examination of General Porter's papers and of the evidence and maps before the West Point Board of Inquiry convinced him that he had done great injustice to a brave and accomplished soldier and a sincere patriot.

Some of the letters which are published in this pamphlet constitute a fine tribute to Grant's honesty and manliness. He wrote to Logan begging him not to oppose Porter's bill. He wrote to Senator Cameron, with better effect, urging him to vote for the measure, and explaining the case in the simple straight forward and convincing manner which characterized his article in the North American Review. He wrote repeatedly to President Arthur, and after the veto of the last bill he wrote General Porter, saying: "You can scarcely conceive the pain it caused me to read the veto of your bill by the President yesterday. I was not prepared for it. His message is the merest sophistry. You were dismissed unjustly, and you are entitled to restoration. That would make you a Major-General from the date of dismissal to the time of restoration. I want to see this final decision in your case. Be of good cheer and pray that justice may yet be done upon you."

A Dog that Could Count.

Old Fetch was a shepherd dog and lived in the Highlands of the Hudson. His master kept nearly a dozen cows, and they ranged at will among the hills during the day. When the sun was low in the west, his master would say to the dog, "Bring the cows home," and it was because the dog did this task so well, that he was called Fetch.

One sultry day he departed, as usual upon his evening task. From scattered shade and grassy nooks, he at last gathered all the cattle into the mountain road leading to the distant barnyard.

A part of the road ran through a low, moist spot bordered by a thicket of black alder, and into this one of the cows pushed her way, and stood quietly. The others passed on, followed some distance in the rear by Fetch.

As the cows approached the barnyard gate, he quickened his pace and hurried forward, as if to say, "I'm here, attending to business." But his complacency was disturbed as the cows filed through the gate. He winced a little, and growled a little, attracting his master's attention. Then he went to the high fence surrounding the yard, and standing on his hind feet peered between two of the rails. After looking at the herd carefully for a time, he started off down the road again on a full run. His master now observed that one of the cows was missing, and he went on a look to see what Fetch was doing to do about it. Before very long he heard the furious tinkling of a bell, and soon Fetch appeared bringing in the perverse cow at a rapid pace, hastening her on by frequently leaping up and catching her ear in his teeth. The gate was again thrown open, and the cow, shaking her head from the pain of the dog's rough reminders, was led through it in a way that she did not soon forget. Fetch then lay down quietly to cool off in time for supper. — E. P. Roe in St. Nicholas.

It is proposed to change the street nomenclature of Washington, substituting for the letters of the alphabet which now mark many streets the names of historical personages—Adams, Benton, Clay, Van Buren and others.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

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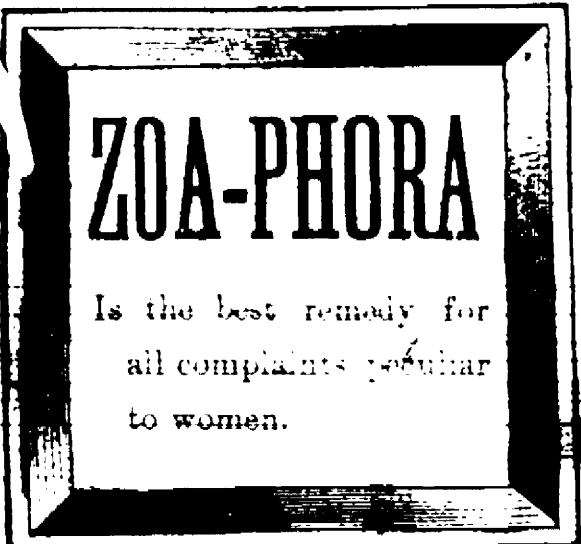
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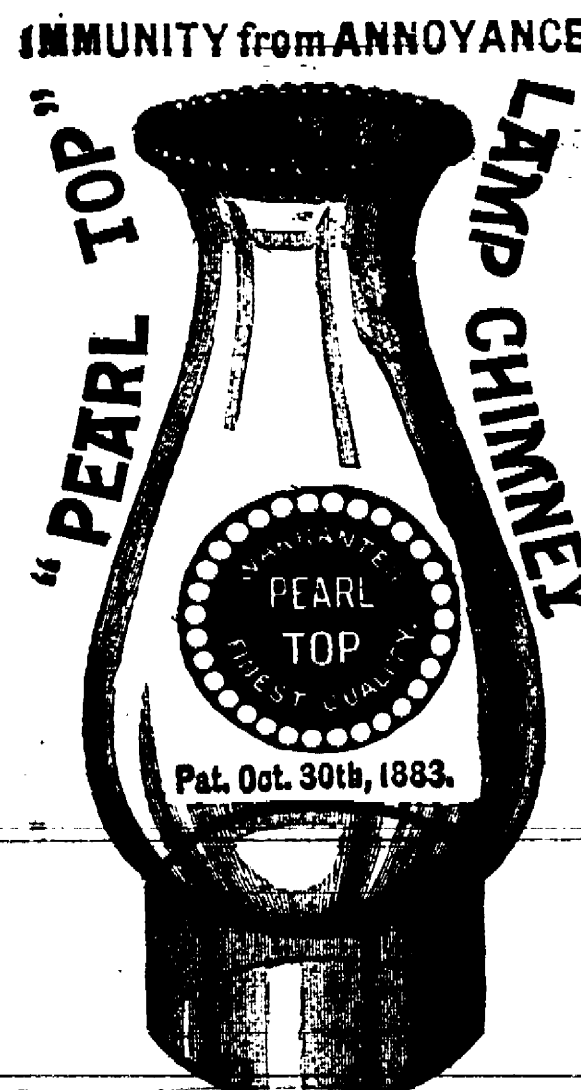
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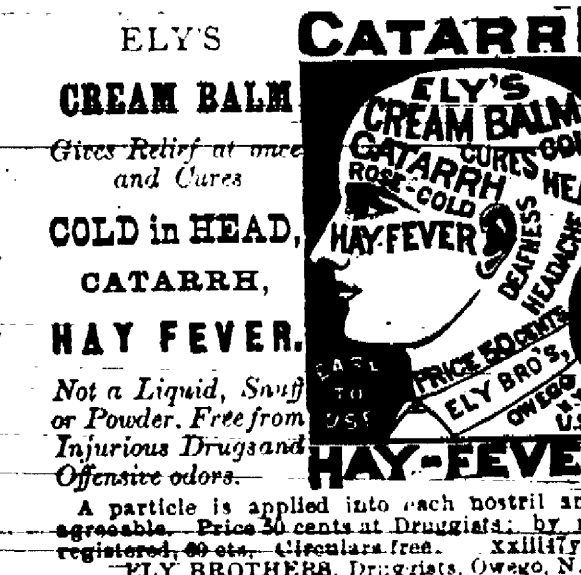


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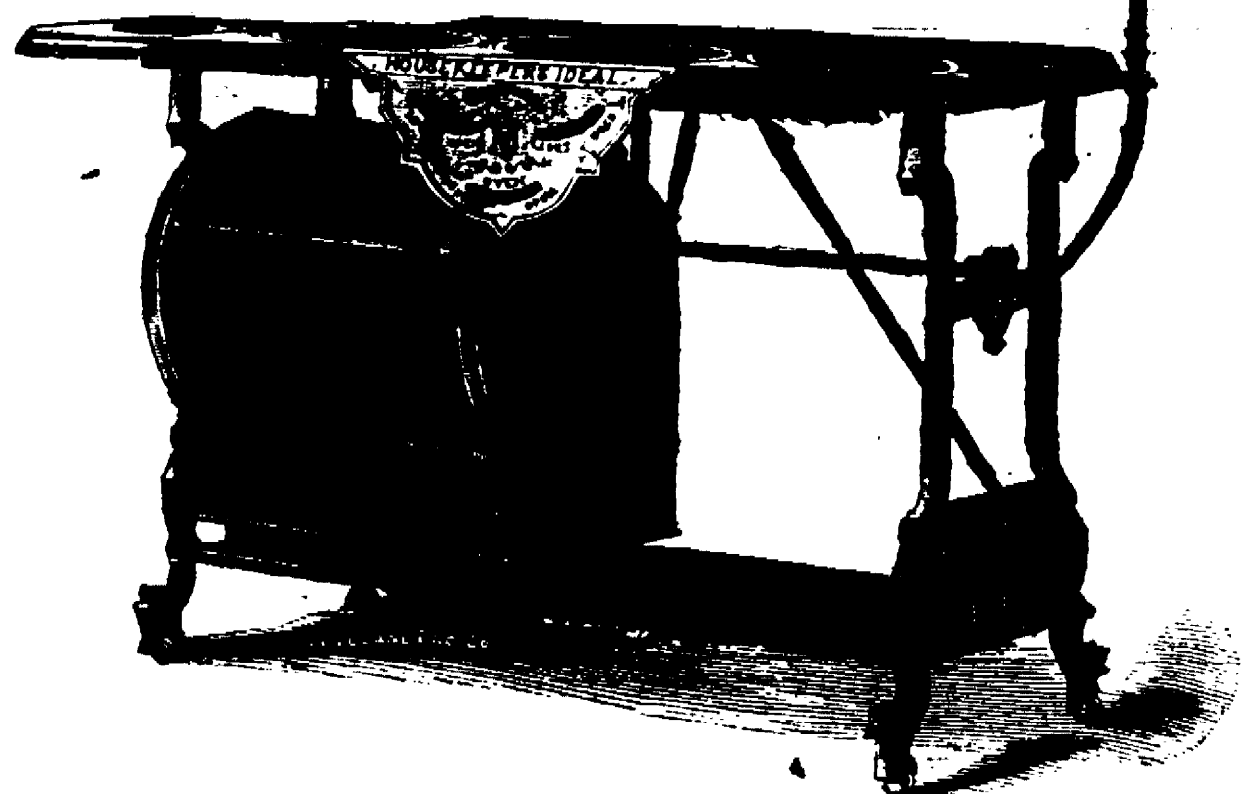
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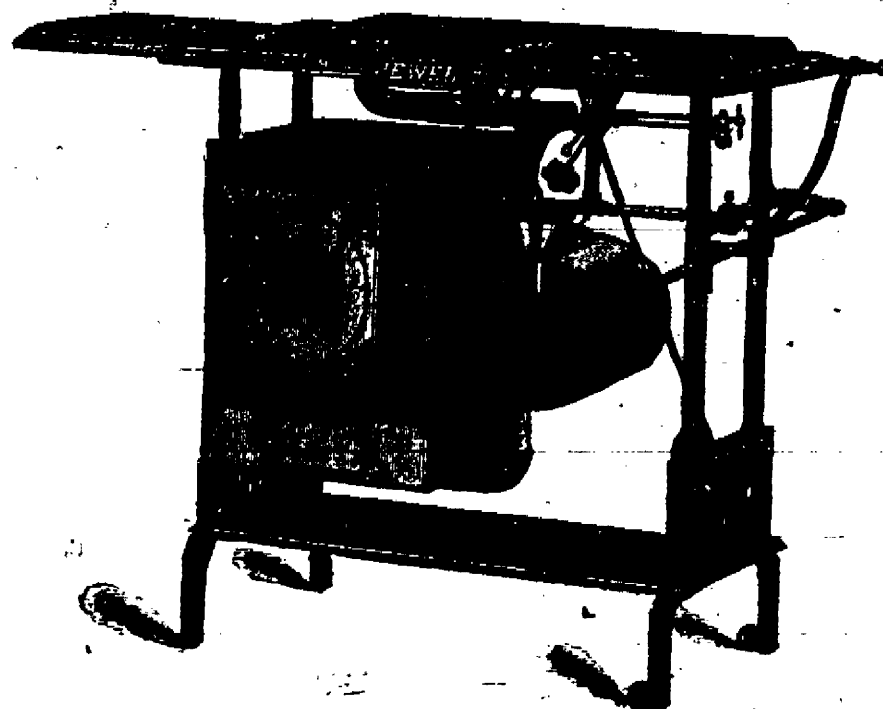
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